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PATENT

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Applicant:	Avadhanam et al.	Examiner:	Channavajjala, Srirama T.
Serial No.:	10/830,164	Group Art Unit:	2166
Filed:	April 21, 2004	Docket No.:	MS167378.02/40062.128USC1
Title:	METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR CREATING A DATABASE TABLE INDEX USING MULTIPLE PROCESSORS		

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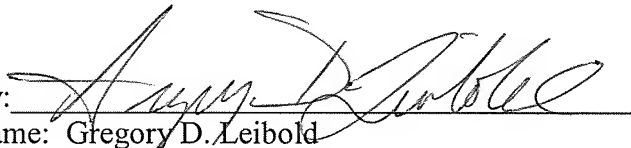
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